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- 6. [] Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. [XX] Assignment Papers (cover sheet and document(s)) to:(1) Nippon Paint Co., Ltd., Osaka, Japan (2) Nisshinbo Industries, Inc., Tokyo, Japan

Please publish the assignee data with the application.

9. [] 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)

[XX] Power of Attorney

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